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## IN THE CLAIMS:

The text of all pending claims (including withdrawn claims) is set forth below. Canceled and not entered claims are indicated with claim number and status only. The claims as listed below show added text with <u>underlining</u> and deleted text with <u>strikethrough</u>. The status of each claim is indicated with one of (original), (currently amended), (canceled), (withdrawn), (new), (previously presented), or (not entered).

Please AMEND claims 10-13 and ADD new claims 14-16 in accordance with the following:

1. (original) A service processor control system comprising:

a component information storage server storing component information on all of hardware and firmware constituting a product, control information for controlling at least a hardware state of a host and setting information for setting the hardware state, and connected to the Internet; and

a client connected to a service processor connected to said host and said Internet, having at least a maintenance service function, as a console function for said service processor, based on said control information and said setting information, and drawing said component information, said control information and said setting information through a browser.

- (original) The service processor control system according to claim 1, wherein said client executes control relating to said service processor through said browser, thereby setting and controlling the hardware state of said host based on said control information and said setting information.
- (original) The service processor control system according to claim 1, wherein said component information, said control information and said setting information are described in XML and said browser is made to correspond to said XML.
  - 4. (original) The service processor control system according to claim 1, wherein another client connected to said Internet is provided with said browser.
- 5. (original) The service processor control system according to claim 1, wherein said client executes control over information on said service processor using the XML including a tag for defining a type of information on the hardware of said host by DTD.



- (original) The service processor control system according to claim 5, wherein said client displays said hardware state by a predetermined type of information by using said DTD and DSSSL.
- (original) The service processor control system according to claim 6, wherein said client writes said setting information of a predetermined type into said hardware of said host by using said DTD and DSSSL.
- 8. (original) The service processor control system according to claim 6, wherein said client displays a message from said host by scrolling up or down the message by using said DTD or DSSSL.
- 9. (original) The service processor control system according to claim 1, wherein the service processor control system comprises a program server connected to said Internet, storing a program, a loading module for loading said program and control information for controlling execution of said program; and

said client extracts said program, said loading module and said control information by way of said browser through the Internet and then executes said program.

10. (currently amended) A computer-readable recording medium recording a service processor control program, connected to a service processor and adapted to a client connected as a console for at least said service processor, said service processor connected to a component information server storing component information on all hardware and firmware constituting a product, control information for controlling at least a hardware state of a host and setting information for setting the hardware state through the Internet and connected to said host, wherein

said computer-readable recording medium allows a computer to execute:

an extraction step of extracting said component information, said control information and said setting information through a browser executed by the client.

11. (currently amended) The computer-readable recording medium recording a service processor control program according to claim 10, comprising an information control execution step of executing control over information on said service processor by using an XML



including a tag defining a type of hardware information on said host by DTD.

12. (currently amended) The computer-readable recording medium recording a service processor control program according to claim 10, wherein

said computer-readable recording medium comprises a control execution step of setting and controlling the hardware state of said host based on said control information and said setting information by executing control relating to said service processor through said browser.

- 13. (currently amended) The computer-readable recording medium recording a service processor control program according to claim 12, comprising an information control execution step of executing control over information on said service processor by using an XML including a tag defining a type of hardware information on said host by DTD.
- 14. (new) The service processor according to claim 1, further comprising: a loading module loading a program to the client and which is automatically executed according to an instruction protocol scanned in at the client.
  - 15. (new) A service processor control system comprising:

a component information storage server storing component information of hardware and firmware relating to a product, control information for controlling a hardware state of a host and setting information for setting the hardware state, the component information storage server being connected to the Internet; and

a client connected to a service processor connected to the host and to the Internet, performing a maintenance service function including a console function for said service processor, based on said control information and said setting information, and displaying the component information, the control information and the setting information through a browser,

wherein the client sends a first set of the component information to the component information storage server, and receives a second set of the component information from the storage server.

16. (new) The service processor control system according to claim 14, wherein the component information is created during a process of manufacturing a product.

